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Representative Keating of Colorado

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CASH BIG PROBLEM DENIAL IS ENTERED IN DEFENSE PLANS BY SINGLE TAXERS

President Unlikely to Recom- No Plans for a Campaign to Coroner's Physician Will So mend Methods of Raising **Defeat Members of** the Money. Congress.

DECLARE MR. HEMINGWAY IS NOT THEIR SPOKESMAN AS A POSSIBLE SOLUTION

Representative Keating Urges Tax- Assert "Threat" in Letter to Senator Saulsbury Is Not Well Founded.

President Wilson probably will taxers of the District or the entire ountry would enter upon a campaign not make specific recommendations to Congress concerning the Congress who should oppose the esmethods of raising revenue to tablishment of the single tax in the District of Columbia, were made today meet the extraordinary expendiby the Tax Reform Association of the tures called for by preparedness District and by A. B. Johnson, a memlegislation, it was understood to- of New York. Their statements were day, but recognizes that the probmade in regard to a letter sent Senator Saulsbury of Delaware by C. B. Hemngway of 902 12th street northwest His plan will be, it is believed, to threatening an attack upon members urge the necessity for national defense of Congress who did not support the preparations and leave to Congress the single tax for the District and declarworking out of legislation that will provide the revenues. When the quesing that the single-taxers throughout the country intended to carry out such campaign.

provide the revenues. When the question is at a stage calling for decision the President will consult with democratic and republican leaders and give his sanction to what he believes to be the best method. By that time various suggestions will have been proposed and considered and the public will have given expression to its views on the subject. At a meeting of the Tax Reform As sociation of the District last night of which H. Martin Williams is president a resolution was adopted which pro-claimed the disapproval of the threat contained in Mr. Hemingway's letter. After quoting from Mr. Hemingway's letter, the resolution stated:

His Authority Denied.

called on the President today with the suggestion that the \$250,000,000 addi-"Mr. Hemingway had no authority to speak for this association, nor for tional that must be raised each year be secured from the rich, inasmuch as the poor man would have to do the fighting in the event the country is ever attacked. Mr. Keating told the President there should be an increase in the income tax and provision for an inheritance tax. He thought good, stiff taxes from these two sources would be sufficient to provide the enlargement of army and navy that is advocated by the administration.

The President listened to Mr. Keating, but gave no intimation of his own position. He has frankly admitted, it is said, that the raising of the money is an extremely important part of the whole thing. single taxers of the District and the single taxers throughout the country at large. He is not a member of this as

knowledge, of any single-tax organization. Therefore, the Tax Reform Association of the District of Columbia does not approve of the implied threat contained in Mr. Hemingway's letter, and disclaims any responsibility for the statements contained in his letter to Senator Saulsbury."

Mr. Johnson is a member of the Manhattan Single Tax Club of New York, organized by Henry George, sr., the largest organization of the kind in the city, and having a large number of prominent single taxers affiliated with it. Mr. Johnson, who has been for years a lecturer on the subject of the single tax and also acting as a tax expert, and working in a number of cities and state campaigns under what is generally known as the Fels fund, the national fund contributed by the late Mr. Fels of Philadelphia annually, and which has a national office at Cincinnati, Ohio, said today:

"I desire to refute the statements without sleep during the forty-eight hours preceding the infant's death, was busy in the operating room of the German-American Hospital today.

Mrs. Anna Bollinger, the infant's mother, was told today of the baby's death. She made no comment save to repeat that denial of the simple operation which would have saved the baby's life was best for all concerned.

A jury of six of the best known physicians and surgeons of Chicago will be chosen to hear testimony at the expected to empanel the jury at once and before night select a date for the inquest.

Why Inquest Was Ordered.

Ceromer Hoffman's decision to hold an inquest was made after a consultation with Dr. Refinance and Dr. John Dlll Robertson health commissioner.

would not favor a bond issue, as een suggested. The people will to raise the necessary money, opinion today inclines to the view that the President may finally sanction an issue of bonds each year to take care of the extra appropriations: Getting the naextra appropriations: Getting the nation ready to meet possible attack is more for the benefit of the future, it is argued, than for the present, and future generations should provide the money. If the country favors preparedness, it is also argued, it cannot object to a bond issue. Those favoring a bond issue also argue that this method could be changed later by the substitution of permanent means of

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In the conference the President will have tomorrow with Speaker Clark the testion of raising the revenues will have tomorrow with Speaker Clark the clestion of raising the revenues will be discussed, and from now on the case of the favor and issue. It has never found favor and issue. It has never found favor and its control of the united by the more clear to the public that I am more clear to the public that I am order lear to the public that I am order learn to the first. From every corner of the United States telegrams came to Dr. Haiselden today expressing the thoughts of physicians, social workers, prominent women and more clear to the public that I am order learn to the public that I am order learn to the vist. From every corner of the United States telegrams came to Dr. Haiselden today expressing the thoughts of physicians, social workers, prominent women and men on the case. The surface telegrams came to Dr. Haiselden today expressing the thoughts of the single taxers in this country are opposed to organizing a party, while on the other hand we have states telegrams came to Dr. Haise substitution of permanent means of at times banded together in cities and taxation when the European war is over and the country has settled so as to comprehend what it may expect in the way of revenues from customs and other recognized sources.

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been discussed many times by single discussed many times discussed m issue. It has never found favor and to keep the news from the mother time many officials in the tederal government and in various cities of the United States holding positions of trust, and also under local governments, but none of these gentlemen nor the rank and file have ever decided upon such an issue as has been stated by Mr. Hemingway. I trust that the gentlemen who favor the half-and-half at the hearing will not be relied by EITEL FRIEDRICH OFFICER gentlemen who favor the half-and-half at the hearing will not be misled by any such statement that Mr. Hemingway may make. I wish to reiterate what I said at the hearing that there will be no battle unless we are forced to it, meaning, of course, if the citizens' committee compelled us in defense of the single tax to appear before Congress and urge the defeat of the half-and-half plan. LONDON, November 18-A German aval lieutenant from the German converted cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich

Such a Campaign Useless.

Two officers of the German converted cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich, Lieut. Koch and 1: Kroneck, disappeared from the vessel at Newport Newn, where she is interned, October 17.

The converted cruiser arrived at Newport News March 10, after an adventurous cruise, in which she destroyed many merchant vessels sailing under the flags of the entente powers. At the time the vessel was interned, April 7, the officers of the cruiser gave their parole to the United States government, agreeing not to leave American soil. ent conditions prevailing here and as absent or undeveloped. long as they shall remain with the fedderal government in practical control of this territory it would be useless to try such a campaign because we would have to fight Congress itself. If, however, Congress should see fit, as I stated to the committee, to abolish the present half-and-half plan and adopt a new, means of taxation, then we would go before it and suggest that it try out the single-tax plan.

"In conclusion let me say that we thoroughly appreciate the situation here. We realize that the members of the citizens' committee, composed as it is of business men and men who have lived here for many years, naturally

Begarded Baby as Uncanny.

"If he grew up he would be a hope-less cripple and would suffer from fits," Association last night.

"The girls who go tearn a little algebra, some history and some n and are no good for their present thalf-and-half plan and adopt a new, means of taxation, then we would his soul be normally alive?" he was asked.

"That I do not know, but the chances are against it."

The questioner cited the case of Roswell Smith of Chicago, a supposedly harmless defective, who, after reaching the adult stage, killed little Hazel Weinstock, for which he was hanged.

Another visitor remarked that Fyodor Dostoevsky, born a defective, who gambled and had epileptic fits, developed into a great novelist and one of the greatest psychologists in Europe.

Cyril long as they shall remain with the fed-Capt. Thierichens, commander of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich, when he learned of the disappearance of the men from his vessel, expressed his regrets to Rear Admiral Beatty, commandant of the Norfolk navy yard.

Washington to indicate which of the lived here for many years, naturally Prinz Elici's officers is supposed to do not like to have the present sys-Prinz Enel's officers is supposed to have fallen into the hands of the British. Dr. Kroneck and Lieut Koch were recently seen by an American naval officer in a railroad station in New York city.

In addition to those officers, six warrant officers are missing from the cruiser Kronprinz Wilhelm, also interned at Norfolk. They put to sea in a yacht which they bought, and their where abouts is a mystery.

They once were reported lost when the British cruiser Sydney sunk their yacht not far from New York in the track of the Bermuda steamers.

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Naval officials are so disturbed over the continuing escapes that they have considered putting the German seamen ashore in a guarded camp and recently asked the State Department if the marine guard had a right to fire to prevent escapes.

UNRESTRICTED USE OF GAS BY FRENCH IS ADVOCATED

army committee, presided over by Georges Clemencau, has adopted a resolution urging the unrestricted use of asphyxiating gas by French troops.

The little bundle stirred and a faint cry was heard, "West much longer to wait, little one," (Continued on Thirteenth Pare.)

## VINDICATES DOCTOR WHO LET BABY DIE

Recommend as Result of the Post-Mortem.

FINDS THE CHILD WOULD HAVE BEEN A DEFECTIVE

Medical Men, Clergymen and Social Workers Join in Commending the Chicago Surgeon.

vindication of Dr. Harry J. Haiselden, the surgeon who declined to operate on the defective Bollinger baby and thus save its life, will be recommended to the coroner's jury which is to con duct an inquest. The recommendation for vindication will be made by Dr. H. D. G. Reinhart, chief coroner's physician, who conducted a post-mortem of the six-day-old infant an hour after its death in the German-American Hospital last night. Coroner Peter M. Hoffman has indicated that unless the post mortem proved the child a mental de fective Dr. Haiselden might be tried for riminal negligence.

"My examination shows that the probabilities are strongly that the child would have been a mental defective." Dr. Reinhart said today.

"It would have been a paralytic all its life. My opinion is that Dr. Haiselden was right in not allowing the baby to live."

No Prosecution Probable.

Dr. Haiselden in all probability wil said that if Dr. Reinhardt reported that most enlightened dictates of conscience and"science a burial permit would b issued after the inquest and the inci-dent closed. Dr. Reinhardt said he

of Philadelphia and a national office at Cincinnati, Ohio, said today:

"I desire to refute the statements made by Mr. Hemingway with reference to the single taxers of the United States having decided, agreed or otherwise banded together upon any national issue at the nation's capital. That I is tated positively in rebuttal yesterday at the hearing before the fiscal relations committee that there would be not battle coming from the single taxers against the citizens, committee with reference to the half-and-half question or the single tax and that I stated he he frankly to the committee, as Senator or the single tax and that I stated he hope that they will make some before the fiscal relations committee with reference to the half-and-half questions of the physical in the hope that they will make some before the fiscal relations committee with reference to the half-and-half questions of the physical in the hope that they will make some before the fiscal relations committee with reference to the half-and-half questions of the physical in the hope that they will make some scientific recommendation to prevent similar occurrences."

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Dr. Haiselden expressed satisfaction when told the inquest had been ordered, when the first had been ordered, hough he said the baby's death from natural causes rendered one hardly necessary. an inquest was made after a consultation with Dr. Reinhardt and Dr. John

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norning.

Throughout the day the subject of the Throughout the day the subject of the propriety of sacrificing the unpromising spark of life in the infant, that it might not grow up a burden to "self and a possible menace to society, was the subject of widespread discussion. Dr. H. J. Haisellen, on whose advice the mother acted, was visited by many medical men today and telephone calls alternately accused and praised him. He remained unaltered in his conviction that death was the greatest blessing which could be hoped for the infant.

Child Horribly Deformed.

The principal physical deformities of the below are the closure of the intestinal tract, paralysis of the nerves of the right side of the face, the absence of the right ear, blindness of one eye and malformaen of its shoulders.

Regarded Baby as Uncanny.

Most of the visitors treated the baby which lay in a little bundle in a private room, as if it were uncanny. Dr. Haiselden alone treated it like a human being. He looked into the little wisted face and patted its cheeks, "He will be dead before the night is

"He will be dead before the night is over," he said.

"It would be a moral wrong," he continued, "to allow it to live. It seems to me that a city which allows a black hand outrage a week, a thousand abortions a day and a number of accidents every round of the clock is hardly in position to criticise a man who holds that death is preferable to life to a defective."

The telephone rang. Dr. Halsenden answered and for five minutes talked with a woman. She pleaded with him to save the baby's life. When he returned from the telephone he smiled grimly.
"She called me names," he said.
The little bundle stirred and a faint



WASHINGTON, D. C., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1915.-TWENTY-FOUR PAGES.

A .PRE-THANKSGIVING THOUGHT.

## JUSTICE HUGHES WARNS NEBRASKA SECRETARY

Notifies Official He Will Not Be Can-

preme Court today notified the secre-tary of state of Nebraska he would not be a candidate at the coming presi-dential primary election, and requested that his name be not placed upon the

nical effect of the declination. The attorney general of Nebraska has could not withdraw his name from could not withdraw his name from the primary ticket. On the other hand, Nebraskans in Washington contend there is no question as to his right to withdraw. The difference arises over the point of whether the declina-tion privilege incorporated in the pri-mary election law of Nebraska applies to the presidential preference primary. to the presidential preference primary.

It is believed that the secretary of state of Nebraska, upon the receipt of the declination, will lay the matter before the attorney general for opinion, and that this opinion will be decisive of the case. It is not believed that the courts would be asked to review the interpretation of local law, given by the attorney general.

The nominating petition stated that Justice Hughes' name was filed absolutely without his knowledge, and that while the petitioners were aware he Justice Hughes' name was filed absolutely without his knowledge, and that while the petitioners were aware he was opposed to any consideration of his name as a candidate, they were convinced "that the welfare of the nation, in its broadest sense, demands the drafting of its highest and most available talent to lead in the approaching contest for the triumph of republican principles, and \* \* the emergency demands a resort to conscription."

DECRIES SCHOOL METHODS.

Dr. White Says Poor Children Are Trained Above Stations.

BOSTON, November 18.-Education Dr. Haiselden, who officiated at the condition of life should be stopped as birth, noted the absence of a neck. a means of improving social conditions, "We have sufficient common sense to The brain he found to be only slightly of a federal hospital for the insane at subnormal, but the cranial nerves were Washington, D. C., said at a meeting "If he grew up he would be a hope- of the Massachusetts Mental Hyglene

"The girls who go to school and learn a little algebra, a little Latin, some history and some music," he said, "are spoiled for their positions in life and are no good for anything else. The same is true of a child born to a bricklayer. Vocational psychology is needed to apply the proper instructions."

"On the Way With Cyril"

By Sewell Ford

Of course, it's a Torchy story, and, of course, it's just as deliciously funny as all the rest that have gone before. Torchy and Vee mix into a domestic difficulty and straighten it outoh, no, not their own, but -well, read the story in the

Sunday Magazine of The Sunday Star

## "The Jetsam of War," by Richard Harding Davis

A pen picture of the city of Bordeaux, in war times, with interesting sidelights on its people and its activities, set forth in Richard Harding Davis' best style. Read this article in The Sunday Star.

MAY INVOLVE GERMAN GOVERNMENT IN PLOT

Buenz, who formerly was German fore March 1.

consul general here, and now is man-aging director of the Hamburg-Ameri-can line, is accused of violating the customs laws and neutrality of the United States by sending out the supply

Awaits Bielaski Report.

Mr. Marshall says he does not intend to take up the charges of Dr. Joseph Goricar that diplomatic and consular representatives of the Teutonic allies are directing the work of a large number of spies in this country, until A. Bruce Bielaski, chief of the bureau of investigation of the Department of Justice, has made a report thereon to Secretary of State Lansing.

Mr. Bielaski returned to Washington last night without making any statement concerning his conference with ment concerning his conference with Dr. Goricar here, Dr. Goricar expects to meet Chief Flynn of the United States secret service today and to go to Cleveland today or tomorrow.

**GERMANS BEAT BACK** BRITISH ATTACK IN WEST

RERLIN. November 18 (by wireless to Sayville, N. Y.) .- British forces atempted a surprise attack yesterday on German positions along the road between Messines, in Belgium, six miles
south of Ypres, and Armentieres, to the
south of Messines. This attack,
war office announced today, falled.
In the Argonne the French made
preparations to explode a mine. This
action was anticipated by the Germans,
who evacuated the trench menaced by
the mines.

EDITOR OF ELKS' ORGAN DIES.

There are differences of opinion in political circles here as to the tech- Charge That It Furnished Money to More Than 350,000 Engineers, Fire-

RAILROAD BROTHERHOODS

PLAN MAKING DEMANDS

ply German cruisers operating in South make formal demand, about March 1, American waters will be made by the that the railroads grant them ar government at the trial of Karl Buenz eight-hour day at the same pay they next week, according to United States
District Attorney Snowden H. Marshall.
It is stated that the government will
try to show that the operation of the
supply ships was directed, to a great
extent, by an official of the German
government, who still is in the United
States

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gineers and firemen at Washington next Monday, and of the western associations at Chicago December 10 Committeemen chosen here, at Washington and at Chicago will attend the December 15 Chicago meeting. Under agreement the roads must answer the men within thirty days, which will bring the date when an answer will be

**AUSTRIAN FLIERS SHELL** 

Paris, November 18 .- An Austrian aeroplane threw five bombs on the city German positions along the road be- at 8 o'clock this morning, but only

Stefani News Agency, which said an PARIS, November 18.—There has been violent cannonading in the forest of Givenchy, in the Artois district, according to the announcement given out by the French war office this aftercity" at a o'clock and dropped five bombs. The name of the place bom-barded was not given, and it was in-ferred the dispatch might refer to Rome. Rome,
Bellung is on the Playe fifty-one miles north of Venice,

Sole American Survivor So States in Affidavit to

U. S. Consul.

SAYS ANCONA WAS

MRS. GREIL'S TESTIMONY IS THOUGHT CONCLUSIVE

State Department Now Is Convinced That the Attacking Submarine Was an Austrian.

An affidavit by Dr. Cecile L Greil of New York, the only native American survivor of the Italian liner Ancona, directly contradicts the Austro-Hungarian government's official statement Said to Have Driven Defenders From that the ship was not shelled by the attacking submarine after she stopped. The State Department today was notified of the existence of the affidavit by consular dispatches.

The text of the message which was sent by American Consul Mason of Al-

"Cecille Grelle (Greil) intelligent, impartial witness, deposition not con-clusive as to whether any effort was made to escape by Ancona. First intimation danger when she was in dining saloon. Disturbance on deck, stoppage, or blowing of whistle, fol-lowed shortly by shots which struck

Was Shelled Forty-Five Minutes. "Testimony preusse (probably means proves) that bombardment lasted forty-five minutes and was continued after vessel had stopped, killing and after vessel had stopped, killing and wounding many persons. She saw destruction vessel by torpedo; saw red and white flag and six cannon on submarine. Knows nothing as to other Americans. Information Algiers and Bizerta considered to demonstrate conclusively that thirteeff vessels were sunk from 3d to 7th November by submarines, going from Gibraltar toward Ancona."

Ancona."
Secretary Lansing will take no action, however, until information of a more definite character regarding the more essential details is received. Such information is expected by cable from American consuls and possibly from the French government, which is understood to be taking depositions on its own account.

Considers Evidence Conclusive.

The State Department considers tha Mrs. Grell's charge that the submaring fired on the Ancona after the ship fired on the Ancona after the ship stopped may be taken as conclusive evidence. Whether warning was given still is an open question. Secretary Lansing considers that the evidence on the feature is inconclusive. It was pointed out today that because Mrs. Greil was the only native American survivor of the disaster much weight would attach to her statement. Consul Mason will attempt to get more affidavits from citizens of other nationalities, preferably from neu-

Mrs. Greil's statement of the color of the flag flown by the submarine was now get for ten hours. Action will be taken at a meeting of the executive committee of the brotherhoods in Chicago, December 15, when ballots for a referendum will be prepared. The votes are expected to be tabulated before March 1.

The eastern associations of the general chairmen of the engineers and firemen's brotherhoods in joint session ductors and trainmen's brotherhoods in the eight-hour day and time and a half for overtime demands.

Similar Action Expected.

Similar action is expected at the meeting of southern associations of engineers and firemen at Washington next Monday, and of the western association of the sexpence of the sixing of the state Department as taken by officials of the State Department as taken by officials of the State Department as taking victory over the Bulgarians on the Tithirkowo Schevo-Krussevitva front. The battle was waged for two days. The French were greatly outnumbered, but used their three-inch golden portion. The naval flag of Germany at a short distance shows only red and white, although it actually has a small portion of red. The Austrian flag at a distance looks as if it were composed solely of two red horizontal stripes at the top and lower border, with a white stripe between them. The German flag resembles a black cross set vertically on a white field.

The United States probably will make no diplomatic inquiry of Austria-Hungary. The Serbians, forced back by the Bulgar advance, have retreated to Ochrida, about forty-five miles southout of the sinking of the Italian liner Antonic ment as being conclusive evidence that the submersible was flying the naval flag of the state point as small flower bows only red and the submersible was flying the naval flag of the state point as small flower bows only red and the submersible was flying the naval flag of the state Department on the Tithirkowo Schevo-Krussevitva front. The battle was waged for two days. The French were greatly out-numbered, but used their three-inch gones with great effect. The Bulgarians on the Tithirkowo S taken by officials of the State Depart-

bles a black cross set vertically on a white field.

The United States probably will make no diplomatic inquiry of Austria-Hungary as to its attitude toward the conduct of submarine warfare as a result of the sinking of the Italian liner Ancona pending the deceipt of additional information concerning the attack from the foreign office at Vienna through Ambassador Penfield.

Based on Vienna Statement.

Sufficient information for an inquiry State Department officials believe, however, is furnished by the Austrian for-AUSTRIAN FLIERS SHELL

ITALIAN CITY OF BELLUNO

BELLUNO, Italy, November 17, via
Paris, November 18.—And Austrian deroplane threw five bombs on the city it 8 o'clock this morning, but only me of them exploded. Three persons vere slightly injured. No material amage was done.

Belluno, Italy, November 17, via
Paris, November 18.—And Austrian deroplane threw five bombs on the city it 8 o'clock this morning, but only the State Department, follows:

"Submarine fired warning shot across bow of steamer, whereupon latter fied office statement concerning the

## FRENCH AND BRITISH TARGET 45 MINUTES WIN VICTORIES OVER **BULGARIAN FORCES**

ONE CENT.

Striking Successes on Vardar River and Valondovo-Rabrovo Fronts Reported.

KASTURINO SAID TO BE IN HANDS OF THE ALLIES

Bulgars Sweep All Before Them in Monastir Region, They Occupying Prilep.

GERMANS ARE MAKING GAINS

Kursumlya-Position of Serbians Grows Steadily Worse, It Is Declared.

LONDON, November 18 -- A striking victory for the French over the Bulgarians in one sector of the front in southern Serbia is unofficially reported through Paris. Gen. Sarrail's troops are said to have driven strong Bulgarian forces to the right bank of the Vardar river as the result of a two-day battle.

Capture by the French of the town of Kasturino and a defeat of the Bulgarians by the British on the Valondovo-Rabrovo front also are reported in the advices received in Paris.

The Bulgarians apparently are sweeping all before them in the region north of Monastir. A London message early today said confirmation had been received in Saloniki of the report that the Bulgarians had taken Prilep, imperiling Monastir, which the Serbians were preparing to evacuate,

it was said. The Austro-German forces in Serbia continue to press back their opponents, according to the German war office, which announced today that the town of Kursumlya had been occupied by German troops after being aban-

doned by the Serbians. Several hundred Serbians and Be Made at Trial of

Karl Buenz.

Seek Eight-Hour Day.

NEW YORK, November 18.—An allegation that the German government appropriated \$750,000 to charter and load a fleet of steamships which cleared from New York early in the war to supply German cruisers operating in South

More Than 350,000 Engineers, Firemen, Conductors and Brakemen

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CLEVELAND, November 18.—The four railroad brotherhoods, including more than 350,000 engineers, firemen, conductors and brakemen on all railroads in the United States, are preparing to make formal distances.

More Than 350,000 Engineers, Firement states and search can be carried out by a submarine without actually placing sailors upon the deck of an intercepted ship and is a measure to prove the nationality of a vessel. The German government since the early days of the war has demonstrated that a submarine can deternate that a submarine can deternate

Victory After Two-Day Battle.

According to the latest news received by Athens newspapers, the French won a striking victory over the Bulgarians

tier.

The population of Monastir is reported to be panic-stricken and preparations are being made to evacuate
the town. Bulgars Take Babuna Pass.

A special dispatch to the Corriere Della Sera of Milan from its Balkan correspondent says: "After sixteen days of furious Bui-

garian attacks, which were heroically sustained by the Serbians, the Bulgarians have taken Babuna pass. The last two Serbian regiments which still resisted were confronted by 50,000 Buigarians." The Athenae's Saloniki correspondent

The text of the communication from the Vienna foreign office, as given out by the State Department, follows:

"Submarine fired warning shot across bow of steamer, whereupon latter fled at full speed. She thus carried out instructions officially given all Italian steamers at beginning of war to attempt escape upon being held up by submarines or to ram, according to position of latter.

Puts Blame on Crew.

"Escaping steamer pursued and fired on by submarine, but did not stop until receiving several hits. Forty-five minutes given passengers and crew to leave ship, on which greatest panic resigned. Only a portion of bota lowered, which were occupied by members ship's crew, who pulled hurriedly away, Great portion of boats which would apparently have sufficed for rescue all hands not occupied.

"After about fifty minutes submarine"

The text of the communication from the victory regarded as of nuch importance, because it may result in the outting of lateral communications of the Serblan front. Sorbia's position is growing steadily worse, according to information obtained by the Reuter correspondent at Athens. The population of Monastir is flecing to Florina, sixteen miles south across the Groek border and Saloniki. The danger of being surrounded by Bulgars coming from the west toward Prilep upset the Serbian defense at Babuna pass. Desperate fighting is expected around Prilep and to the south of that point.

A Bulgarian force is advancing from Krushevo to cut off the Serbian line of retreat toward Kresna and the Albanian frontier. On the horthern front the Berbs are fighting desperately, contesting every inch of territory.

Victories for Austrians. confirms the reoccupation of Tetovo by the Bulgars, a victory regarded as

Arthur C. Moreland Succumbs to
Gangrene in the Foot.

New York, Nevember 18.—Arthur
C. Moreland, widely knewn among members of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks and editor-publisher of the Elks-Antier, one of the leading publications of the order, has deed in a hospital here. Two weeks ago he went to the hospital on service, the Department of Commerce Order of Elks and service and hig conditions of the order, has ago he went to the hospital on service, the Department of Commerce Would is a no so the echoes of the Eastland dispersed on account rapidly appraching vessel, torpided Aneona which did not sink until further lapse controversy over the steamboat inspection of boats which would approaching vessel, torpided Aneona which did not sink until further lapse controversy over the steamboat inspection of the chies and hig conditions of the order, has ago he went to the hospital on account of gangreen in the right foot and hig condition became gradually worse.

Mr. Moreland was sixty-eight years old Novamber 18 last, He had served as exalted ruler of Elks lodges in San Prancisco and New York and was the proposed to Congress this winter to give the federal government complete control of the building of all-merchant vessels of the England provided to save only themselves and not passengers, for which there was ample time and means.

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